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FOR ACTING DEP ASSISTANT SECRETARY LAINGEN (NEA) FROM AMBASSADOR

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TO HELP ME MAKE SEVERAL TACTICAL DECISIONS HERE,I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR JUDGEMENT AS TO WHEN I CAN EXPECT REPLY TO COLOMBO'S 2680 AND 2748 CONCERNING PROSPECTS OF OBTAINING ADDITIONAL 30,000 TO 40,000 TONS PL 480 WHEAT FLOUR. PARA 3 REFTEL AID MESSAGE IS UNCLEAR AND I DO NOT REGARD IT AS ANY TYPE OF DEFINITIVE REPLY. SUCH A REPLY, I TRUST, WILL TAKE CAREFUL ACCOUNT OF POLITICAL ISSUES INVOLVED. VAN HOLLEN

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